

OWATONNA HOSPITAL FOUNDATION

## My Baby and Me

## Diaper Bank Program

My Baby and Me was founded by the Owatonna Hospital Foundation in 2013. Our goal is to collaborate with new and existing community partners to improve prenatal care, post-birth outcomes and early childhood development, as well as foster positive and healthy baby-caregiver relationships.

### My Baby and Me initiatives include:

- Diaper Bank Program
- Southeast Minnesota Breastfeeding Coalition
- Annual Baby Reunion event
- Car seat installation education
- Postpartum depression awareness
- Community outreach

Proudly serving the needs of Steele County:





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## **Diaper Bank mission**

To ensure families who are living in poverty or experiencing a crisis have access to an adequate supply of diapers.

### **Eligibility requirements**

To be eligible to access the Diaper Bank, each applicant shall meet the following criteria:

- show proof of residency in Steele County
- child is under three years of age
- parent to sign a product liability waiver
- meet WIC Income Eligibility Guidelines, including proof of income (pay stubs, WIC vouchers, or Medical Assistance card)
- receive a referral letter from an approved agency (see list of agencies on center panel).

#### Additional information:

- If a family experiences a traumatic life event such as fire or natural disaster, they are able to access the Diaper Bank without meeting income guidelines.
- Each family may access the Diaper Bank up to two times in a 12 month period, per child depending upon availability.

## Help support us

Financial donations to help provide diapers for families in need are greatly appreciated. Please visit allinahealth.org/owatonnafoundation or mail your gift to:

Owatonna Hospital Foundation 2250 NW 26th Street Owatonna, MN 55060

# Approved Diaper Bank referral agencies

To receive a referral letter to access the Diaper Bank, please visit one of the following approved Diaper Bank referral agencies:

- Crisis Resource Center of Steele County
- Exchange Club for Family Unity
- Fernbrook Family Center
- Free Clinic of Steele County
- Hospitality House
- Lily Sparrow House
- Semcac
- South Central Human Relations Center
- Steele County Employment Services
- Steele County Food Shelf
- Steele County Human Services
- Steele County Public Health Nursing
- The Salvation Army
- Transitional Housing of Steele County
- Tri-Valley Opportunity Council, Head Start
- Owatonna Hospital, part of Allina Health
- Vocational Rehabilitation Services

#### Distribution sites

The Salvation Army

1810 South Cedar Avenue, Owatonna ph: 507-455-2023

**Steele County Food Shelf** 

155 Oakdale Street, Owatonna ph: 507-455-2991

# For more information or assistance:

Please call 507-977-2000 or email OwatonnaFoundation@allina.com.

